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SUBJ: RECALL OF ROYAL TREAT BAND MUSHROOMS

1. FDA ADVISES THAT AMERICAN MUSHROOM CORPORATION IS RECALLING ALL 2 OZ. AND 4 OZ. CANS OF MUSHROOMS PRODUCED IN THE COMPANY'S ECUADOR PLANT AND DISTRIBUTED UNDER THE ROYAL TREAT LABEL.

2. THE LABEL CLEARLY SPECIFIES THAT THE MUSHROOMS ARE A PRODUCT OF ECUADOR. THE IDENTIFICATION CODE EMBOSSED ON THE CANS BEING RECALLED IS A ONE-LINE CODE ENDING WITH THE LETTER "E".

3. TWO LISTS OF FOREIGN CONSIGNEES HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED:

A. A LIST OF FOREIGN SECONDARY ACCOUNTS OF ASSOCIATED GROCERS OF FLORIDA, INC., MIAMI, FLORIDA WHICH IS A PRIMARY WHOLESALER OF ROYAL TREAT MUSHROOMS,

B. A LIST OF FOREIGN OCEAN-GOING VESSELS WHICH ARE SECONDARY ACCOUNTS OF PRIMARY WHOLESALERS, MIAMI WHOLESALE COMPANY, MIAMI, FLORIDA.

4. AMERICAN MUSHROOM CORPORATION INSTITUTED THE RECALL AFTER ANALYSIS OF SWOLLEN CANS FOUND AT MILITARY WAREHOUSE REVEALED THE PRESENCE OF SPORES WITH THE POTENTIAL FOR PRODUCING BOTULINUM TOXIN. TESTS BY A MILITARY LABORATORY REVEALED BOTULINUM TYPE B SPORES. THESE FINDINGS ARE CONFIRMED BY FDA LABORATORIES.

5. AMERICAN MUSHROOM CORPORATION ALSO PACKS MUSHROOMS IN U.S. AND OTHER FOREIGN COUNTRIES. THESE PRODUCTS ARE NOT BEING RECALLED.

6. FOREIGN DISTRIBUTION YOUR AREA:

BAHAMAS:

1. RONALD A. ALBURY, LTD.	2. BULER'S BARGAIN MART
P.O. BOX 23	BLUE HILL ROAD
C/O C.L. CHARNLEY	P.O. BOX 712
NASSAU, BAHAMAS	NASSAU, BAHAMAS

3. BUTLER'S WHOLESALE CASH	4. CARIBBEAN EXPORT IMPORT SALES
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PEACH STREET	P.O. BOX N 4837
P.O. BOX 712	NASSAU, BAHAMAS
NASSAU, BAHAMAS	

5. CARIBBEAN SAILING YACHTS	6. D&S SUPERMARKET
MARSH GARBOUR	ROSE SHOPPING CENTER
ABACO, BAHAMAS	LUWIS YARD, P.O. BOX F 576
	FREEPORT, GRAND BAHAMA, BAHAMAS

7. ELEUTHERA SUPPLY, LTD.	8. ELEUTHERA TRADING & SUPPLIES CO
GOVERNORS HARBOUR	SAME ADDRESS AS #7
P.O. BOX 39	

ELEUTHERA, BAHAMAS

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| 9. GRAND BAHAMAS HOTEL, LTD.
GRAND BAHAMA ISLAND
WEST END, BAHAMAS | 10. HALLS GROCERY STORE
ROCK SOUND
ELEUTHERA, BAHAMAS |
| 11. HANCHELL'S WEE SHOP
SOUTH CAICOS
TURKS & CAICOS ISLAND, W.I. | 12. HIGHWAY DEPT. STORE
TARPUM BAY
ELEUTHERA ISLAND, BAHAMAS |
| 13. INAGUA GENERAL STORE, INC.
MATTHEW TOWN
INAGUA, BAHAMAS | 14. INTERNATIONAL COFFEE SERVICE
P.O. BOX 5245
NASSAU, BAHAMAS |
| 15. LMA SUPPLY CO.
BOX 1
SOUTH CAICOS, W.I. | 16. THE MARKET 857
P.O. BOX 30
ROCK SOUND
ELEUTHERA, BAHAMAS |
| 17. MARTIN FOOD STORE
P.O. BOX 1026
FREEPORT, BAHAMAS | 18. MURIEL'S ENTERPRISES
SOUTH CAICOS
TURKS & CAICOS IS., B.W.I. |
| 19. RANDY'S LTD.
GREENTURTLE CAY
BAHAMAS | 20. SANDS ENTERPRISE LTD.
P.O. BOX 153
GOVERS HARBOUR
ELEUTHERA, BAHAMAS |

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| 21. SEA VIEW MARINE
COCKBURN HARBOUR
SOUTH CAICOS
TURKS & CAICOS IS. | 22. SIMMONS GENERAL STORE, LTD.
PROVIDENCIALES
SOUTH CAICOS
TURKS & CAICOS IS. |
| 23. SPANISH WELLS FOOD FAIR
SPANISH WELLS, BAHAMAS
NASSAU, BAHAMAS | 24. SUPER VALUE FOODS
PMB 39
NASSAU, BAHAMAS |
| 25. SUPER VALUE FOODS #2
SAME AS #24 | 26. SUPER VALUE FOODS #3
SAME AS #24 |
| 27. SUPER VALUE FOODS
SAME AS #24 | 28. THE ISLAND MARKET
BOX F-27, FREEPORT
GRAND BAHAMA, BAHAMAS |
| 29. THOMPSON BROTHERS GRO-
CERIES, GREGORY TOWN
ELEUTHERA, BAHAMAS | 30. TURKS IS. IMPORTERS LTD.
P.O. BOX 72, GRAND TURKS
TURKS & CAICOS IS. |
| 31. C.C. WILLIAMS
BOTTLE CREEK, NORTH CAICOS
TURKS & CAICOS IS. | 32. COMMUNITY GROCERY STORE
BAY STREET, HARBOUR IS.
P.O. BOX 6 |

ELEUTHERA, BAHAMAS

33. J&M FAIR TRADE 34. MRS. BAYLOR O. HICKMAN
BLUE HILLS BOX 624
PROVIDENCIALES ALICETOWN, BIMINI ISLAND,
TURKS & CAICOS IS. BAHAMAS, OR: GOSHEN,
KENTUCKY 40026

BARBADOS:

1. HAZELLS LTD. 2. O'NEAL & MUNDY TR. CO., LTD.
P.O. BOX 108 PASEA TRADING ESTATE
KINGSTON, ST. VINCENT BOX 285
READTOWN, TORTOLA, B.W.I.

E. THE COLD STORE, LTD.
GRENADA, W.I.

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BRITISH HONDURAS:

1. ISMAEL GOMEZ CO., LTD. 2. JAMES BRODIE & CO., LTD.
P.O. BOX 377 P.O. BOX 365
BELIZE CITY, BELIZE BELIZE CITY
BRITISH HONDURAS, B.W.I.

3. RO-MAC'S 4. SIKAFFY COMMERCIAL CO.
27 ALBERT STREET P.O. BOX 122
BELIZE CITY, BELIZE BELIZE CITY, BELIZE

5. THE NEW IDEAL SHOPPING CTR.
29 ALBERT STREET
P.O. BOX 130
BELIZE CITY, BELIZE

COLOMBIA:

1. IMPORTADORO LEDA, STDA 2. INSTITUTO DE MARCADEO
AVENUE LAS AMERICAS AGROPECUARIO
P.O. BOX 120 SAN ANDRES IS.
SAN ANDRES IS., COLOMBIA, S.A.
COLOMBIA, S.A.

CURACAO:

1. ARUBA SUPER MARKET 560 2. ST. MAARTEN SELF SERVICE
C/O JAN BODEGOM AND CO. SUPERMARKET NV
WERFSTRAAT PHILIPSBURG ST.
ORANJESTAD, ARUBA N.A. MAARTEN, NETHERLANDS ANTILLES

3. F. VREUGDENHIL & ZOREN N.V.

SCHUBAPPERWEG Z/N CURACAO N.A.
MAIL: P.O. BOX 100
WILLEMSTAD C.N.A.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC:

1. AMERICAN EMBASSY COMMISSARY 2. ANTONIO BARLETTA C&A
ASSOC. ISABEL LACATOLICA 109
APARTADO P.O. BOX 1210
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SANTO DOMINGO, D.R. SANTO DOMINGO, D.R.

3. CASA VELAZQUES 4. FRANCISCO MARTINEC
LEOPOLDO NAVARRO 34 ARZOBISPO NOVEL 67
P.O. BOX 1195 SANTO DOMINGO, D.R.
SANTO DOMINGO, D.R.

5. INTERNATIONAL SALES ENTERPRISES 6. MANUEL GONZALEZ GUESTA SUCS, C
AGENCIA VICTOR LAGARES SANTOME NO. 104-06
CALLE SANTIAGO NO. 80 SANTO DOMINGO, D.R.
SANTO DOMINGO, D.R.

7. SUPERMERCADO TROPICAL 8. SUPERMERCADO DOMINICANO
RESTAURACION MAXIMO GOMEZ, ESP R. SANTANA
SANTIAGO DE LOS CABALLEROS P.O. BOX 854
REPUBLICA DOMINICA SANTO DOMINGO, D.R.

9. SUPERMERCADO CASA PEREZ 10. SUPERMERCADO GARCIA C POR A
SANTO DOMINGO RD ARZO BISPO SANTO DOMINGO, DOMINICAN REP.
NOVEL 100
APARTADO 10210, SANTO DOMINGO

11. SUPERMERCADO EL COLOSO 12. SUPERMERCADO PUEBLO
CALLE LOPE DE VEGA ESC. SANTO DOMINGO, D.R.
CALLE 18
SANTO DOMINGO, D.R.

GUATEMALA:

1. SUPER TIENDA PAIZ MONTUFOR 2. SUPERMERCASOW LA SEVILLANA
M. CALLE O-93 ZONA ZONA UNO
9 MAIL 9A GALL REP DE GUATEMALA, C.A.
8-54-Z1 GUATAMALA CITY, GUAT-
EMALA, C.A.

3. SUPERMERCADOS LA TORRE
7 AVENIDA 1-20 ZONA 9
GUATAMALA CITY, GUATAMALA, C.A.

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1. GEORGES COLES SUPERMARKET
P.O. BOX 195
PORT AU PRINCE

HONDURAS, C.A.:

1. CASA CAPELLADES 2. CASA MARRUGAT DE ANTONIO
APARTADO 56 AVENDIA 14 DE JULIO
LA CEIBA, HONDURAS, C.A. P.O. BOX B 88
LA CEIBA, HONDURAS, C.A.

3. DISTRIBUDORA BARRETT S.A. 4. MIGUEL O. CALDERON
THIRD AVENUE S.O. SAN PEDRO SULA
SAN PADROSULA HONDURAS, C.A.
APARTADO 96 SAN PEDRO SULA
HONDURAS, C.A.

5. BOULEVARD MORAZEN Y AVE. 6. SUPER TIENDAS PRISA
CONCUNVALAGION SAN PEDRO SULA BOULEVARD MORAZAN
HONDURAS, C.A. SAN PEDRO SULA
HONDURAS

7. SUPERMERCADO MAS POR MENOS 8. U.S. EMBASSY PERSONNEL COM
6 AVE. ENTRE 4 Y 5 CALLE MISSARY
COMAYAGUELA, HONDURAS, C.A. C/O U.S. EMBASSY
TEGUCIGALPA, HONDURAS

IRAN:

1. SHIPMENT OF 50 CASES OF 4 OZ BUTTON MUSHROOMS SHIPPED MARCH
23, 1971, INVOICE #7186:

AMERICAN EMBASSY
C/O U.S.E.A. COMMERCE
TEHRAN, IRAN

JAMAICA:

1. CAYMAN FOODS, LTD. 2. HANSONS DEPT. STORE
MARY STREET WHITE BAY, CAYMAN BRAC
MAIL: P.O. BOX 102 CAYMAN ISLAND, B.W.I.
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GEORGETOWN, GRAND CAYMAN,
S.W.I.

3. KIRK CONNELL BROS. LTD. 4. TIP TOP
P.O. BOX 72 STAKE BAY, CAYMAN BRAC,

GRAND CAYMAN BRITISH WEST INDIES
CAYMAN IS., B.W.I.

MARTINIQUE:

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| 1. GIRAUD MINI MART | 2. LIBRE SERVICE GSM |
| ST. BARTHOLOMEW | GUSTAVIA |
| FRENCH WEST INDIES | ST. BARTHELEMY, FR. W. INDIES |
| P.O. BOX 39 | |
| GUSTAVIA, GR. WEST INDIES | |

3. MULLETT BAY FOOD SERVICE
BOX 309
ST. MAARTEN

MEXICO:

1. SUMESA
AVENIDA LA PAZ
P.O. BOX 515
TEGUCIGALPA, MEXICO

THE NETHERLANDS:

1. "S/V ATLANTIC MERCHANT"
IN C/O DAMMERS AND VANDERTHEIDE SHIPPING & TRADING CO., LTD.
ROTTERDAM, BOOMPIES 57 P.O. 444

NORWAY:

1. M/D PANAMERICA AND THE "PAN CARIBE"
C/O MESSRS. ODD BERG AND CO.
P.O. BOX 366-VIKA
OSLO, NORWAY

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1. EMPLOYEES GROUP PURCHASES ASSN.
U.S. EMBASSY
LIMA, PERU

UNITED KINGDOM:

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| 1. M/V CARRIBBEAN PROGRESS | 2. M/V CORAL VENTURE |
| M/V CARRIBBEAN VENTURE | C/O HUNTING AND SON, LTD. |
| COMMON BROTHER LTD. | P.O. BOX ITA |
| EXCHANGE BLDG. QUAYSIDE | NEWCASTLE UPON TYME, NE99 |
| NEWCASTLE UPON TYME NE, 3AB | |
| ENGLAND | |

VENEZUELA:

1. CASA PARIS S.A.

P.O. BOX 26

MARACAIBO, VENEZUELA, S.A.

7. POST REQUESTED TO ADVISE CONSIGNEES AND/OR HEALTH OFFICIALS
TO CHECK STOCKS TO DETERMINE IF PRODUCT IS ON HAND. IF ANY ARE
FOUND, THEY SHOULD NOT BE USED BUT SHOULD BE RETURNED TO SUPPLIER.
END KISSINGER

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BRIDGETOWN
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GUATEMALA

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